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LONGEVITY.

At page 26 of the first volume of the Penny Magazine, there is a notice of some remarkable instances of exception to the ordinary duration of human life; such as Demetrius Grabowsky, who died about twenty-five years ago in Poland, at the age of one hundred and sixty-nine years. It is added that Jenkins, the oldest man on record in England, lived exactly as long as the Polish shepherd. A correspondent, (Dr. Edmund Fry) has favored us with the following epitaph on Jenkins, from his monument in the church of Bolton-upon-Swale. The inscription was written by Dr. Thomas Chapman.

"Blush not marble!
To rescue from oblivion
The memory of
HENRY JENKINS,
A person, obscure in birth,
But of a life truly memorable:
For
He was enriched
With the goods of nature,
If not of fortune;
And happy in the duration,
If not variety,
Of his enjoyments.
And though the partial world
Despised and disregarded
His low and humble state,
The equal eye of Providence
Beheld and blessed it
With a patriarch's health
And length of days;
To teach mistaken man
These blessings
Were entailed on temperance,
A life of labour, and a mind at ease;
He lived to the amazing age
Of 169 years!
He was interred here, the 6th December,
1670,
And had this justice done to his memory,
1743."

Our correspondent proceeds to give the two following instances of extraordinary longevity; the latter of which, although the most remarkable case on record, appears to have excited little attention.

On a long freestone slab in Caerry Church, near Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, is the following inscription, in capitals, round the ledge:

"Here lyeth the Body of WILLIAM EDWARDS of the Cairey, who departed
This life the 24 of February Anno Domini 1668, Anno
Quæ ætatis suæ 168."

On the body of the stone:—

"O happy change!
And ever blest
When greefe and pain is
Changed to rest."

In the 'County Chronicle' of December 13, 1791, a paragraph was inserted, stating that Thomas Cam, according to the parish register of St. Leonard, Shoreditch, died the 28th January, 1588, aged 207 years! The correspondent of that paper adds, "This is an instance of longevity, so far exceeding any other on record, that one is disposed to suspect some mistake, either in the register or in the extract." Our correspondent, having lately met with this paragraph in his commonplace book, determined, he says, to apply to the parish-clerk of St. Leonard's, from whom he, at length, obtained an extract from the register of burials, a literal copy of which is subjoined:—

1588. BURIALLES Fol: 35.

THOMAS CAM was buriel* y 22 inst of Januarye Aged 207 years
Holywell Street
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"It thus appears," adds our correspondent, "that Cam was born in the year 1381, in the fourth of Richard II., living through the reign of that monarch; and through those of the whole of the following sovereigns, viz. Henry IV., Henry V., Henry VI., Edward IV., Edward V., Richard III., Henry VII., Henry VIII., Edward VI., Mary, and to the thirtieth of Elizabeth." Such an extreme duration of life is, however, contrary to all recorded experience; and unless the fact can be supported by other evidence, it is reasonable to conclude that the entry in the register is inaccurate.—Penny Magazine.

* The word *buriel* is correctly copied from the original.

Shoes and Buckles.

The instrument for cleaning hides, the shoemaker's bristle added to the yarn, and his knife, were as early as the twelfth century. He was accustomed to hawk his goods, and it is conjectured that there was a seperate trade for annexing the souls. The Roman in classical times, wore cork soles in their shoes to secure the feet from water, especially in winter; and as high heels were not then introduced, the Roman ladies who wished to appear taller than they had been formed by nature, put plenty of cork under them. The streets of Rome in the time of Domitian were blocked up by cobblers' stalls, which he therefore caused to be removed. In the middle ages shoes were cleaned by washing with a sponge; and oil, soap, and grease, were the substitutes for blacking. Buckles were worn in shoes in the fourteenth century. In an Irish abbey a human skeleton was found with marks of buckles on the shoes. In England they became fashionable many years before the reign of queen Mary; the laboring people wore them of copper; other persons had them of silver, or copper-gilt: not long after, shoe-roses came in. Buckles revived before the revolution of 1689, remained fashionable till after the French revolution in 1789; and finally became extinct before the close of the eighteenth century.

BEWARE OF FLUID LAMPS.—We again have to warn against the dangers of fluid lamps. Another accident occurred across the bay, last Tuesday, we copy from our city papers:

Robert S. Lenville, residing about two miles from Lafayette, in this county (Contra Costa), while engaged in his corral, last evening, about dark, seeing his house on fire, hastened towards it. On his way, he found his wife near a spring of water, where her sufferings had led her, but so horribly burned as to expire in a short time, being only able to articulate, "the lamp!" They had two children, the oldest, a bright boy of three summers; the youngest only about six months—both of whom perished in the flames. There seems to be no doubt that the fluid lamp exploded, and the fond mother lost her life in the fruitless effort to save her babes.

NEWSMAN EXTRAORDINARY.—One of the carriers of a New York paper, called the Advocate, having become indisposed, his son took his place; but not knowing the subscribers he was to supply, he took for his guide a dog which had usually attended his father. The animal trotted on ahead of the boy, and stopped at every door where the paper was in use to be left, wihout making a single omission or mistake.

EXTRAORDINARY.—In the spring of 1810, a little girl about eleven years old appeared at the Royal Exchange, and made some very extraordinary calculations. Several gentlemen asked her some intricate questions, and while they were calculating it, gave a correct answer. She was asked to multiply 525,600, by 250; which she answered in one minute, 131,400,000. A second questionwas how many minutes there are in forty two years? Answer, 52,075,200. She was desired to multiply 525,000 by 450? Answer: 236,250,000. Several other questions equally difficult were put, all of which she answered very correctly. It is remarkable, that the girl could neither read or write. She stated herself to be the daughter of a weaver, living in Mile-End New Town, of the name of Heywood.

GAS.—Experiments have been made recently to test the value of sand as a heating medium in connection with gas. It is said that gas turned into a mass of sand is instantly diffused through it, and then as it escapes to the surface, may be ignited at once with safety. The whole surface is thus covered with a pure, smokeless flame, and the sand is speedily heated to such a degree as to retain heat for hours after the gas is shut off, and the light extinguished.

WHAT PROSPECTS.—Since the murder of Butler, by Ward, at Louisville, school teachers there have a sorry time with their pupils. The teacher of the Fourth Ward School lately attempted to chastise one of the large boys, whereupon the pupil seized a poker and struck the master a severe blow on the side of the head. The latter then left the school-room, followed by all the boys, who pursued him with brickbats and stones for some distance.—Christian Register.

NOTHING IS HIDDEN.—It is a memorable reply of Phidias, when remonstrated with for chiselling so carefully the backs of his statutes, which were to stand high against the wall, where no eye could see any part but the front: "But the Gods will see the whole!" The finest, almost the only utterance of faith in the perfect presense and oversight of the Gods, from the Grecian world. And we should know, and continually feel, that not only will God see all parts of our life, but that often he may make that very thing which looks most secret and most lonely the bearer of greatest messages to others; the seeds in them of character and of desting.—*Spirit Age.*

Tasso replied to a proposition that he should take vengeance on a man who had injured him: "I do not wish to deprive him either of his goods, his honor, or his life. I only wish to deprive him of his ill-will.

He is a hypocrite before God, who talketh of a work within, when there is no work without.

STAR GAZING.—A FALLACY.—The first of the Greeks, who studied astronomy, when one day walking and very attentively contemplating the stars, chanced to fall into a ditch. "Ha," observed a good old woman that was by, "how will you preceive what passes in the heavens, and what is so infinitely above your head, if you cannot see what is just at your feet and before your nose?"

WHEN I see a boy in haste to spend every penny as soon as he gets in; I think it a *sign* that he will be a *spend-thrift.*

JEWISH INTELLIGENCE.

The Rotshchild Hospital at Jerusalem

A German physician, Dr. Preyss, of Vien na, a man honorably known in the medical world, sometime ago visited the Holy Land, and lately published in a foreign medical journal an account of the sanatory institution at Jerusalem. Having described in gloomy colors the Turkish military hospital, which he calls a real pig-sty, he continues—Scarcely had I passed the Rubicon, that is the ditch surrounding the Turkish hospital, when I was struck by the contrast offered by the extreme cleanliness of a neighboring street. I had seen nothing similar in the streets of Jerusalem, and even the neighboring houses derive therefrom a pleasing physiognomy. I could not help expressing my pleasure at so advantageous a change, and I learn that this was due to the neighborhood of the Jewish hospital; it is at its expense that the quarter around it is kept in so excellent a state, so essential to its sanatory success. This establishment is a foundation of the Rothschild family, which maintains it by means of an annual grant of 15,000 francs. It may, without exaggeration, be called a real gem.

The words "Hospital Rothschild" are sculptured in Hebrew characters over the gate, which leads to a square court-yard paved with beautiful granite stones; a remarkable cleanliness reigns in it. This yard serves as a vestibule, whence one passes to three rooms for the reception of the sick. Over one is written the name of Rothschild, over the other that of Montefiore, and over the third that of Doctor Cohn, of Paris, to whom the organization of the hospital is due. The first room contains nine beds, the others have four and five respectively. Between the two last there is an apartment which leads direct into the court-yard. The physician of the hospital there gives gratuitous advice to the sick of the city.

The dispensary is likewise situated in the same court. Although small, it is kept in a most efficient state; the same is the case with the medical stores; most of the drugs are brought from Paris. Another door leads to the office. All books of the establishment, which has now existed for four years, are kept there. The same admirable order is there observed, good paper, admirable binding in morocco, and writing almost caligraphic. I at first took these books for sample copies, exhibited as specimens, but I soon convinced myself that all other books were kept with equal care.

The bedsteads are of iron, the bedding and bed-linen ample, comfortable, and exceedingly clean. The patients, too, are supplied with linen for their persons. Although the managers were not prepared for my visit, I found everything in the best order, every piece of furniture properly numbered on its right place, and every patient provided with a chest within his reach for what he wished to keep therein. Over every bed was a little black tablet, containing a name of the family of the founder, to whose memory the bed is devoted, likewise the diagnosis of the disease of the occupier of the bed for the time. The men lie in the large room, the women in the two small ones. Despite the inconsiderable number of beds, about six hundred persons are annually received, so that on the average, each patient stays eleven days. In this establishment, every Israelite, as far as space permits, is received, whose case requires medical treatment. During the last Jewish year (5617), 537 patients were received, and medicine ordered in 26,242 prescriptions was furnished to the poor at their own dwellings. Of the 573 patients only twenty were natives of Turkey, 271 were pilgrims taken ill during their stay in the Holy City, the others although residing here, are yet of foreign origin.

The patients are in every respect treated as in no other hospital in Europe. It is therefore not surprising that the average cost for each should be higher than anywhere else. Every day of illness costs two francs, 36 centimes.

There is only one thing to be wished for. This is a small garden, on the vegetation of which the eyes of the convalescent might rest. The terraces of the hospital, however, offer some compensation. The finest view to be had at Jerusalem can there be enjoyed.

The director and soul of this institution, which is placed under the protection of the Emperor of Austria, is Dr. Neumann; he devotes to this work his physical and moral activity with the same persevering zeal which animates the philanthropic founders, for their pecuniary sacrifices are renewed every year, and whoever examines with justice the services rendered by this honorable physician will appreciate them according to their value. There exist at Jerusalem two other hospitals, founded by European associations; one is fifteen years old, the other six. Dr. Preyss, however, is by no means favorably impressed with them as with the Rothschild hospital, and points out in them grave defects. With these, however, we have nothing to do. We conclude with the remark that, according to Dr. Preyss, the hospital established at Jerusalem for conversion purposes, contributes very little towards promoting the views of its founders amongst the poorer classes of the Jews, for whom it seems to have been established.—*Messenger.*

Another Conversion to Judaism.

If numbers prove the truth of a religion, then Paganism is the true religion; and if conversions, and even numerous conversions prove the truth of creeds, then every creed is true: for there is not a creed, however absurd, that, from one cause or other, has not had numerous converts. And, indeed, there is some truth in every creed; and much good in every religious system. And so, in giving the following account of a conversion to Judaism, it is not our view to boast, as do some of our cotemporaries: for we know there is no absurdity that was not believed, and no excellence that was not rejected; still the account does not belong to the common ones of this country. We read in the Zeitung des Judenthums of April 11, the following from a correspondent of Pleschen, duchy of Posen, "Franz Ludwig Ladwig (now named Michael Ben Abraham), son of a Catholic inhabitant of Trachenberg, Silesia, has on the 22d of March, entered in this city, the Covenant of Abraham. Already in early youth, he showed rare capacities, and mental gifts, so that his parents, the parish priest, and his teacher, destined and prepared him to the clerical state. He diligently studied the Old and New Testaments. His lively inquisitive mind allowed him no rest; he deeply investigated the religious depths of theology. There he met with contradictions in the system in which he was born and brought up; then rose doubts which he could not solve, till his reason made him find truth in the Jewish faith, and he entered the Synagogue.

Already eight years ago, he made this resolution. Not knowing how to proceed, he sent a petition to government, to the consistories, till the exit from the Catholic church and the communion with the Synagogue was granted on the ground of the law of 1847.

"Your correspondent, as many others, were under some doubt whether the step of Mr. Ludwig Ladwig was from religious or temporal motives. But this doubt was removed as soon as it became known with what patience and perseverance the convert executed his resolution, and with how many difficulties he had to contend—having even met with difficulties among our co-religionists—and with what courage he submitted to the necessary prepations.

"But every doubt is expelled on hearing the religious views of our new Israelite. As his exterior deportment, his deep gravity, serenity and dignity are not to be mistaken, so his views of religion show that his resolution was dear to him and made with mature consideration. To the beautiful traits of his character belongs that of his sincere love and respect which he evinces towards his parents, of which he now furnishes many examples."

London.—J. Morris Solomons, one of our persuasion, gained four or five of the premiums of the subdivision of the B. A., at the university of London. This is the first time that ever a man gained four prizes out of the five since the existence of the university. The silver plate of the Pasha of Egypt presented to Sir Moses Montefiore is the richest on exhibition in London.—F. C.

Narrow.—Leusberg.—A storm is raised by the orthodox against Dr. Schwabacher for his having declared a machine proper to be used in making Matzoth.

Vienna.—Munificence of a Co-Religionist.—Herr Sebey, a merchant of Vienna, and posseesor of an estate, is building, at his own expense, a new temple for his co-religionists at Guns, in Hungary. He has, moreover, bought a house, which he is now converting into an asylum for the infirm poor of all religions. He has endowed this establishment with funds large enough for keeping it in repair, and providing for its inmates in perpetuity.

Turin.—Promotion of Jewish Soldiers.—Two Jewish soldiers in the Sardinian army were lately promoted to the rank of officers. The oath was administered to them with the assistance of the rabbi. Formerly, no Jew was admitted to the military service of this country.

Liberal.—The Catholic municipality of Vienna, Austria, has given evidence of its tolerant spirit by subscribing twenty-five thousand dollars to a Protestant school, and the Emperor has personally given fifteen hundred dollars toward the erection of a Protestant church.

Indiscreet.—The Catholics throughout the country are rapidly evincing by testimonials their sympathy with Master Whall, the boy in the Eliot School in this city, punished for not repeating the commandments. He has received a silver goblet from a Catholic school in Kentucky, $10 from Newburg, N. Y., and several other presents.—Christian Register.

Paris.—Young Henry Ketten.—We have on several occasions alluded to the extraordinary talent displayed by this musical prodigy. The minister of state has just conferred a pension of 600 francs annually on this very young co-religionist, whilst a pupil of the Academy.

Vienna.—Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.—At Vienna there exists an institution for the Jewish deaf and dumb. It has just had granted to it from the state a loan of 15,000 florins for the completion of the building.

Prussia.—Two hundred and twenty-six Prussian congregations have petitioned government for equal rights, as is granted to them by the 12th article of the constitution; but which hitherto remained a dead letter.

Russia.—Liberal Policy.—Count Bladoff, the president of the committee appointed by the emperor to revise the laws concerning the Jews, lately notified to the minister of the interior a series of resolutions approved of by the Czar, all tending towards lightening the yoke imposed by the Jews by former monarchs. The special inns to which the Jews visiting Kief were confined, are abolished, access to the fairs of Charkow and Summy is granted to them, and measures for the advancement of education were recommended.

St. Petersburg.—A Synagogue.—A rumor has circulated at St. Petersburg that the government is about to authorise the erection of a Jewish synagogue in that city. Hitherto the Jews had scarcely been permitted to settle in the capital, and in no case without submitting to a number of vexatious restrictions.—Clerical Journal.

Mitau, Russia.—Clemency of the Czar.—An Ukase of March, 1858, No. 681, permits the Hebrews to settle again within the limits of the boundary between Poland and Russia, from whence Nicholas exhiled them. They were also permitted to domicilate in the cities of Kowna and Tchitomir, and build houses there, which Nicholas had prohibited. The right granted to Russian Hebrews to settle in all parts of the empire, produces an entire revolution in their affairs. This million and a half of men being pressed together in certain districts and cities, excluded from many branches of occupation, could not develop their capacities as they can now. Being forced by habit and persecution into their Talmudic studies, the world remained unknown to them. All these causes are now removed, and the Russian Jews steer towards a better future.

Consecration of a Synagogue in Sacramento.—On the 5th June, a Synagogue was consecrated at Sacramento, with appropriate ceremonies, by the Jewish Church there. The building is situated on Seventh street, between L. and M. It was the old pioneer Methodist Church, and was purchased by the Israelites for eighteen hundred dollars, in December last, and suitable alterations were made on it. Dr. H. A. Henry, of San Francisco, officiated at the consecration. The *Union* says on this occasion:—Bulletin:

In an article on the Hebrew fraternity of Sacramento last summer, we gave the number of church members in the city at one hundred and thirty. The number of Jews in the city has slightly increased since that time, as a good many were then absent at Frazer river. In 1852 the Hebrews of Sacramento organized their first religious religious society here and put up the synagogue on Fifth street, which they have continued to use until January 22d, when it was sold to a colored denomination. This was done in view of the purchase and reconstruction into a synagogue of the Methodist Church. No regular ceremonies attended the installation of the Fifth street Temple, as at that time the Society was too small.

The congregation of Beni Israel, which is the name of the new synagogue, is not large. It represents, if we are correctly informed, the Polish portion of our Hebrew population. The Polish Jews outnumber their German brethren nearly two to one. At a recent meeting of the Israelites of all classes, held in relation to the choice of Minister or Reader for the new synagogue, the two nationalities were unable to agree upon the person selected, and, in consequence, a movement has been made towards the erection of a synagogue in which the German Jews mean to have the choice of the Minister. A meeting has been held, or is about to be held, on the subject.

A Jewish Composer.—A young Jewish composer of Ancona, Signor Zabban, has lately brought on the stage of his native place an opera, which met with immense success. This master of Israelitish inspiration produces a deep impression upon the Italian artists from birth—who cease to share the Roman intolerance against our co-religionist.—U. I.

Mexico.—The average income of the Mexican church is twenty-five millions a year, while the revenue of the national government of the republic is only fifteen millions.

Monsieur Veuillot Disappointed and Reproved.—The famous author of the French Catholic Univers, who thought to earn laurels by showing how maternally the Roman Church dealt in claiming and abducting the Mortara boy, has now returned from Rome, without a Cardinals hat. He was very indifferently treated by the Holy See, being accused of having by his extravagance caused a chasm between the French clergy.

This gentleman for his profusion of abuse against the Jews, received from the French Minister of the Interior of Affairs a remonstrance to forbear in future all offensive terms against Israelites. A copy of this reproof was sent to the Central Consistory of the Israelite of France. Mr. Veuilot mentioned nothing of this document in his organ. The gentleman is very considerate and moderate.

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The Weekly Gleaner,

FRIDAY,----------JUNE 10, 1859 (5619.)

NOTICE.

Ophir Lodge No. 21, I. O. B. B., will hold their weekly meetings every Wednesday evening, at 7 1-2 o'clock, at the Temperance Hall in Washington, between Sansome and Montgomery streets.

Members and sojourning brethren of good standing are respectfully invited. F. TOPLITZ, Pres.
H. KOZMIMSKY, Sec.

NOTICE.

Subscribers to the GLEANER may save us much time and trouble by paying their subscriptions to Freeman's Express Offices, which are now established all over the country. All receipts specifying the amount and the time they cover, will be acknowledged every week in the columns of the GLEANER. The payments may be sent at our expense.

COLLECTIONS.—With No. 16, another month's collection fell due; but on account of Holydays this and other collections had to be postponed till next week.

The Home of New Orleans.

The fourth anniversary report of this charitable institution shows again a considerable progress during the last year. Donations, during the epidemic, flowed from many distant parts; the number of members has increased from 194 to 249.

But also, the efficiency of the home has extended itself; the number of inmates has swelled from 30 to 78; of these, six adults and forty seven children are kept in the institute, for the rest, provision is made elsewhere.

The Home seems to enjoy a vitality that bespeaks for it a great future; its managers are fully conscious of its present necessity and its future destiny.

The Home has some striking feature worthy of notice. We first mention its cosmopolitic spirit: it is a Jewish Institution, for needy Jews, and as such, it extends its benefits to all Jews: the founders allowed their views not to be narrowed by petty national prejudices; they are above it; hence its combined membership, and its wide efficiency. A second feature, is its unselfishness; it is managed by gentlemen, who, from all appearance, never expect to reap any material reciprocation for their labors and contributions; the home is not erected for self protection. This is clearly visible from all the proceedings, and from the patent fact that the energy and the funds are spent for strangers and foreigners: three only of the inmates are born of American parents, and but ten of them are born in New Orleans.

Our readers will not regret to see our columns occupied with some more ample statistics of a charity, which, as far as we know, has no parallel among the institutions of the Jews of the United States.

STATEMENT A.

TREASURER'S ACCOUNT.

To cash on hand as per last annual report,		$461 86
" Received since—		
From Members' dues and iniations,	$248 00	
Contributions, voluntary,	6883 85	
Contributions from State, $750 00		
Less per cent. for collection, 3 75		
	736 25	
Contributions from Charity Box,	47 78	
Home Industry,	60 45	
Life Membership,	200 00	
Concert,	1110 08	
Interest,	50 00	
		11,918 41
Total,		$12,380 27

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By amounts expended as per vouchers returned—		
For provisions,	$2037 17	
Dry goods and clothing,	698 79	
Furniture,	499 10	
Salaries,	2003 85	
Repairs of the Home,	2070 00	
Printing and stationery,	212 85	
Expenses (incidental),	466 18	
Gas,	65 25	
		$9053 19
Less am't uncollectable, $175 50		
Less am't unpaid, 155 00		
	330 50	
		$26,533 65
Contributions from the State,		6,746 25
Contributions from the City,		336 00
Contributions from Charity Box,		190 33
Life Membership,		400 00
Home Industry,		104 00
Members' Dues and Initiations,	$9087 00	
Less am't uncollected, $2202 00		
Less am't uncollectable, 295 00		
	2497 00	
		6590 00
Interest,		188 72
Concert,		1110 08
Total,		$42,199 03

DISBURSEMENTS.

For Real Estate,	$19,176 50	
Add additional repairs,	1,070 00	
		$21.246 50
For Furniture,		1.723 01
Provisions,		5,742 40
Dry goods and clothing,		1.465 83
Salarie ,		4,269 25
Charity prior to opening,		802 39
Expenses (incidental),		2 105 97
Gas,		156 60
Reserved Fund, consisting of—		
Ten shares Crescent City Bank Stock (cost).	$962 50	
Two State Bonds, $1000 each (cost),	1930 00	
		2,892 50
Leaving a balance in hands of Treasurer,		1,434 58
Total,		$42,199 03

STATEMENT C.

Exhibits the Assets for the Home for Jewish Widows and Orphans,

Real Estate,	$21,246 50
Members' dues uncollected,	2,202 00
Voluntary contributions, uncollected,	567 50
Due by S. K.,	155 00
Ten shares Crescent City Bank Stock,	962 50
Two State Bonds, $1000 each, cost,	1,930 08
Cash in hand of Treasurer,	1,434 50
LIABILITIES—Warrants not paid—	
E. C. Herwig,	$38 11
S. Levy,	27 18
F. Hollander, about	50 00
Balance in favor of the Home,	28,382 79
	$28,498 68

STATEMEMT B.

Exhibits the Total Receipts and Disbursements since the Organization of the Association.

RECEIPTS.

Total contributions, voluntary,	$26,864 15

THE PANORAMA IN THE COUNTRY.—Among the thousands who, in this city, have visited the Panorama, there is not one who did not feel the highest satifaction. The scenery is most splendid, the subjects are no other than all the capitals and other large cities and remarkable places in Europe.

The proprietor is now undertaking a tour through the interior of California, and, thinking the Panorama an exhibition pre-eminently worthy of sight and support, we give this notice to our readers in the country, that they may avail themselves of the rare opportunity of such a sight. We think it a duty to recommend the sight to our readers as an object of art; and we are sure that their anticipations will be more than met:

We are glad to hear that there are some prospects of having the Panorama in connection with some other improving attraction, permanently settled in this city, on the proprietor's return from his tour. We sincerely desire to see such a place of recreation and amusement established in our city—it is sure to meet the countenance and support of every good citizen.

WOOL GROWTH of CALIFORNIA.—This state promises to be a wool raising country. The former, Mexican, they are now superceding by several thousands of American sheep brought across the plains. California is well adapted to pasturage. Statistics of Exports:

	Lbs.	Value.	Av. price.
1854	175,000	$14,000	8c
1855	360,000	36,000	10c
1856	600,000	80,000	13⅓c
1857	1,100,000	165,000	15c
1858	1,248,351	199,967	14c
Total	3,663,351	$494,967	12 7-10

SOLOMON'S TEMPLE.—The model of Solomon's Temple, at the Pavillion, Montgomery street, is worth viewing. It is 24 by 35 feet in size, and in all the minutiae of its details exhibits a master genius almost without equal. This week the Temple was visited by the children of the different Sunday schools of this city.

INCREASE OF POPULATION.—The passenger statistics of this port from the 1st of May, to June 6, show 2,551 departures 5,568 arrivals; gain in population, 3,017. Of China, 154 departed and 1,078 arrived.

Roman Catholic Nations.

The following interesting item from "Little's Living Age," is by no means intended as a reflection on the effects of Roman Catholicism. The truth of the fact is patent, and we give it as a matter of valuable historic record as useful information. Should we be informed that the cause of the decay of these Catholic countries is not owing to Catholic policy, it will afford us pleasure to do justice to the Catholic church by publishing the true reasons in our columns.

How comes it to pass that nation after nation in which the Romish priesthood is dominant perishes down to its roots with a steady and irresistible speed? From recent accounts, Mexico is fast becoming disorganized, disintegrated, and approaching nearer, every day, to utter and entire destruction. What, we ask again, accounts for this? It has a splendid climate and a prolific soil. Its children are many of them the sons of heroes and nobles, and its annals are by no means monotonous or dull. It has been linked to a monarchy, and separated and formed into a republic. It has endured chains and enjoyed freedom. But in all its conditions it has known neither prosperity nor real social elevation. What is the necessary and logical result? Bankruptcy — confusion — civil discord—unmeaning insults on the flag of England, provoking retribution it is scarcely worth the necessary powder and shot to inflict. Finally, far-seeing minds discern for Mexico in the distance utter chaos or a powerful dictator. But is not every nation in which a superstitious Papal priesthood is dominant very much in the same condition? Spain has sunk daily during a century and a half in all that constitutes the glory of a government or the greatness of a people. Italy is become a byword in Europe, and its capital and its petty sovereignties, sometimes the pity, at other times the scorn, and never the admiration, of mankind. Austria, compared with the Protestant States of Germany, is the dungeon compared to a palace. The Roman Catholics of Mexico, Peru, and Brazil are centuries behind the descendants of the Pilgrim Fathers in Massachusetts. Yet soil and sunshine and climate are all in favor of the former, and ice and rock and bleak land are all against the latter. Who would venture to place the poverty and sloth and idleness of Lower Canada on the same level as the energy and enterprise and increasing riches of Upper Canada, which is Protestant? The stagnation of a Romish canton in Switzerland contrasts powerfully with the tidiness and industry and intelligence of a contiguous Protestant canton. The light and intelligence and independence of Ireland are in Ulster. Her misery and beggary and brigandage, and her characteristic crimes are in Connaught, where we see every variety and similarity of features, political and physical; but where, beneath a dominant superstition, brooding and stamping the mark of its despotism over all, we discover a decaying race. But wherever we find the Protestant faith, even in its least favorable types and the worst of physical conditions, we witness a prosperous and advancing community. Our inference must be that of an eloquent, and in this case weighty and impartial judge. Lord Macauly thus writes in his History (vol. i. pp. 48-9):—

"During the last three centuries, to stunt the growth of the human mind has been the chief object of the Roman Catholic Church. Throughout Christendom, whatever advance has been made in knowledge, in freedom, in wealth, and in the arts of life, has been made in spite of her, and has everywhere been in inverse proportion to her power. The loveliest and most fertile provinces of Europe have under her rule been sunk in poverty, in political servitude, and in intellectual torpor; while Protestant countries, once proverbial for sterility and barbarism, have been turned by skill and industry to gardens, and can boast of a long list of heroes, statesmen, philosophers, and poets. Whoever, knowing what Italy and Scotland naturally are, and what four hundred years ago they actually were, will now compare the country round Rome with the country round Edinburgh, will be able to form some judgment as to the tendency of Papal domination.

We do not make these remarks in order to urge the exhibition or to stimulate the action of an intolerant spirit towards Mexico, but to remind our readers of the true solution of her misery. Her insult to our flag, and her violent aggressions on the lives and property of the English men, will no doubt bring down the retribution such misdeeds deserve. But in punishing we may try to discover from what seeds such pernicious fruits grow, and who are the seedsmen in spring who the weeping reapers follow in many a bitter harvest.—*The Press, 12th February.*

MARKET PRICES.—A young healthy Christian African sells from 1000 to 1200 dollars in the eastern markets; the emblem of Satan, the Anaconda which was exhibited in this city since, some two months was sold to Dr. C. H. Bissett and George Peoples, (probably as an addition to the Elephant exhibition) for $1,800.

"And the Lord said unto me, Cast unto the potter's: a goodly price that was prised at of them." Zachariah xi. 13.

THE WAR.

There was a sharp action at the Bridge of Buffalora, on Thursday, 28th April, which, it is reported, the Austrians after a considerable loss, took at the point of the Bayonet. It is also reported that Mortara has been taken and that the Sardinians had retreated before the Austrians. The telegraph lines through Switzerland have been cut by the Austrians.

The Austrians have occupied some other places; the Sardinians retreating at their approach.

Generals Canrobert and Neille have arrived at Turin, on April 29th, and gone to join the King of Sardinia. The Austrians are concentrating in great masses at Placenga, where proclamation has been issued by the Russian Commissioner Extraordinary. Fifteen thousand of the French Imperial Guard landed that night at Genoa, making the force there 40,000 men.

The Emperor Napoleon was expected to join the French army on the 3d ultimo.

The King has gone to assume the command.

On April 30th, the Austrians seized several Sardenian vessels on Lake Maggiore, and commenced hostilities that evening.

Austria forwarded circulars and notes to the foreign governments, stating the diplomatic and political reasons for the declaration of war.

A loan of $100,000,000 wanted.

The Wiener Zeitung publishes decrees ordering a loan of 20,000,000 pounds sterling, but it was impossible to contract it.

GREAT BRITAIN WANTS SEAMEN.—In England, a Royal proclamation has been issued offering a bounty of £10 to seamen, with the intention of recruiting 10,000 additional. The greatest activity prevailed in the English dock yards, preparing for the war. Instructions from the British Admiralty was received at Woolwich, April 30th, directing all possible haste in the completion of the new steam-frigates now on the stocks.

PRUSSIA PREPARING.—The Prussian Government has resolved to puts its army in readiness to march.

LONDON, May 2d.—A great many failures are reported on the Stock Exchange. From all quarters failures are reported. Wolf & Co. of Berlin have suspended, and a considerable failure at Vienna is reported. The impoverishment and ruin on the Paris Bourse this week will be beyond all example. No failures occurred on Monday. Consols closed to-day at 89 and three-fourths to 90 and a quarter.

limentary Benefits—So Called.

Editor of the "Weekly Gleaner,"

Sir:—In answer to your article in last
's paper on Charitable Benefits, I being
the managers of the first Hebrew Be-
nt Society, *in justice*, must say, that Mr.
son was not asked by us to play gratuit-
as Mr. Wilson, the proprietor of the
, told us distinctly that Mr. Anderson
not play for any society *without* pay—
d refused several applications already.
s the Jews in Caliiornia are most liber-
ons of the drama, he, Mr. Wilson, said
inclined to assist them in their chari-
ndertakings, and he would give them
pany, then playing at the American
e, at what it would actually cost him—
id not wish to make anything by the
ion—hence our card in the daily papers
, *Gala night Extra*—arrangements were
have a benefit on Saturday the 21st,
Mr. Anderson would not give up his last
t did not come off until Monday the
Ir. Wilson then stated he could not take
n three hundred dollars, the society
the rent of the theatre for that night
settlement with Mr. Wilson, he charg-
ne Hundred dollars *extra* for the ser-
Mr. James Anderson—this we would
e paid, but Mr. Wilson had the money
and, and with the advice of the mana-
he benefit, then present, it was so set-
ther than have any further trouble
he matter. It has been asked, as Mr.
did not wish to make anything by the
what his expense of $300 was for that
xclusive of Mr. James Stark and Mr.
. Courtaine who so kindly volunteer-

Yours Respectfully,
FAIR PLAY.

RECIABLE TRAIT OF THE FRENCH
RNMENT.—A young orphan girl, Al-
vy, of French parentage, has been
red to a charitable lady of New
ns, to be raised in the Catholic faith,
ry to the express best wish of the
mother. Probably, on experienc-
me difficulty of obtaining the child
pplication was made to the French
nment; and the prompt action of
overnment will appear from the
ng correspondence:

[Letter of the French Consul.]

ULATE OF FRANCE AT NEW ORLEANS.
ew Orleans, March 16th, 1859.

PRESIDENT: His Excellency, the Min-
Foreign Affairs of His Majesty the
r Napoleon, has done me the honor of
to me, under date of the 9th of Feb-
st, for the purpose of calling my atten-
the facts concerning a young orphan
ice Levy, daughter of French parents,
d been delivered to a charitable lady of
rleans, for the object of being raised
Catholic religion, contrary to the last
tion of her mother, who had expressed
ire that her child be raised in the
of the Jewish religion, which was that
parents. Attached to this communica-
re several papers, and among others, a
of the grand-mother of this young girl,
e Widow Meyer Litchenberg *nee* Levy,
ated, that the delivery of said child had
fused to the Jewish Society of New
, because it had already been baptised.
Excellency the Count Walewsky, has
he the order to use my influence, and, if
ry, take legal steps, in order to realize
hes of the deceased Mrs. Levy.
rding to the information which I have
d, this intervention has become unne-
, since the said child has been, after
me prudent considerations (*apres quel-
crétions*), entrusted to the good care
Jewish society.
information, however, cannot fully sat-
. I therefore believe that I cannot do
than to address myself to you, sir, as
sident of the association and of the
Asylum, and to beg of you to let me
he result of your intervention, in order
may act accordingly, and transmit an
to His Excellency, the Minister of
n Affairs.
se accept, Mr. President, the assurance
high consideration.

The Consul of France.
(Signed) COUNS MEJAN.

[Reply.]

New Orleans, March 19th, 1859.
MEJAN, CONSUL OF FRANCE AT NEW
ORLEANS.

SPECTED SIR: In compliance with your
t, on behalf of your Government, I have
nor to communicate to you the desired information, regarding the orphan child, Alice Levy.

Mrs. Levy, the mother of said child, died in the early part of September last. During her sickness she was attended by Israelites and on her demise she was buried with the Jewish rites in a Jewish cemetery. Prior to her death she expressed a desire to have her orphan child Alice then about six months old placed in the Jewish Widows' and Orphans' Home. The nurse having charge of said child pleaded that she was much attached to it, and asked permission to keep it about a week longer, when she would deliver it to the custody of the Home. She, however, did not keep her promise, her residence being unknown, some time elapsed before the whereabouts of the child could be discovered.

It then appeared, that the nurse had meanwhile applied to Mrs. Capdeville, and represented to this lady that the said orphan had been abandoned, and was without protection. Mrs. Capdeville thereupon made suitable provisions for the maintenance of the child, and had it baptised in the Catholic religion. It is conceded that this estimable lady acted from purely charitable motives, and what appeared to her a sense of duty. For although she refused to give up the child when first demanded by the Chairman of our committee on Application of Relief, yet when called upon by the undersigned, to surrender said orphan to its legitimare guardians, she complied with the demand, and regretted the circumstances that had placed her in so unpleasant an attitude.

The said orphan has been an inmate of our institution since the 28th of December last. In common with other Jewish orphans, it will enjoy the benefits of our asylum, and special care will be taken to raise it in the religious faith of its parents.

The accompanying copy of the Constitution and By-Laws governing the Home, will afford an adequate idea of the character and object of our institution.

In communicating to you the details of this affair, permit me to add, that it is a source of peculiar gratification to the Israelites of this country, to witness, at this juncture, the prompt intervention of your Government in a case so similar to that of the Italian child, Mortara, for whose parents there seems to be no prospect of Relief. It is an earnest of that firm and enlightened policy which has won for His Majesty, the Emperor of France, the respect and admiration of the whole world. It presents the magnificent spectacle of government, of a powerful nation listening to the the plaints of one of its humblest citizens, and stepping forward to vindicate the sacred right: to worship God according to the dictates of one's own conscience. As I am fully persuaded, that this act will elicit from all Israelites the most fervent prayers for the welfare of France and her august Ruler, and the kindest regards for yourself.

Please accept, sir, the expression of my high consideration and esteem in subscribing myself,

Your obediant servant,
M. M. SIMPSON.

CITY ITEMS.

THE DASHAWAYS.—This is the name of a temperance society, organized originally by firemen in this city. The object total abstinence from intoxicating drink, and mutual support. They also intend to erect a home or a place for reclamation for unfortunates who may want their care. The society is active, and very popular; it increases continually. Branches of this excellent organization are flourishing in Sacramento, Marysville, Oroville, Placerville, Iowa Hill, and every other town of importance in the interior.

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THE HESPERIAN.—Another number of this valuable magazine came to hand last week. There is no other California publication that is received and patronised with more pleasure than this highly interesting monthly. Contents and appearance are as usual containing excellence with elegance.

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PHILADELPHIA, January 17th, 1859.

To the editors of the Pacific Medical and Surgical Journal—Gentlemen: My attention has been called to an article in the December number of your journal, in regard to the ad eundem degree granted by the Philadelphia College of Medicine to Dr. L J. Czapkay. When the application of the degree was made to the Faculty, it was accompanied by affidavits and testimonials to the effect that Dr. Czapkay was a regular graduate M D of the University of Pesth, had served as a surgeon in the Hungarian army and was a regular practitioner of medicine. On the strength of these the degree was granted. The ad eundem degree, as its name implies, is conferred on graduates only, and gives us new privileges. Had there been the slightest suspicion of irregularity, the application would have been refused. By inserting this in your journal you will do an act of justice to the College, and confer a favor on

Yours, very respectfully.
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Dean of the Faculty of the Philadelphia College of Medicine.

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KOSSUTH LAJOS,
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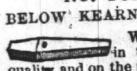

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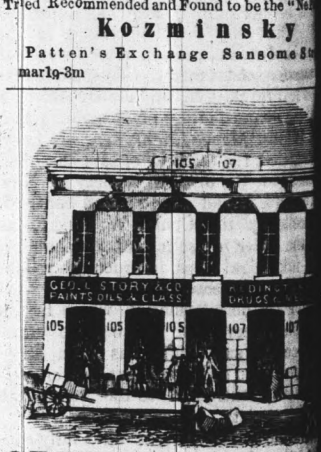

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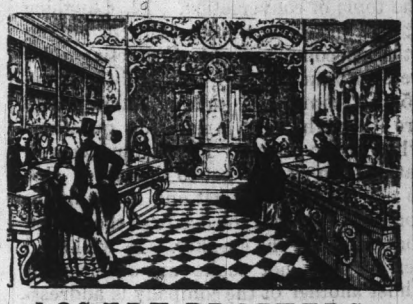

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Although by childhood muttered,
Than all the battles ever fought,
Or oaths that men have uttered.

Friendship oft would longer last,
And quarrels be prevented,
If little words were let go past—
Forgiven, not resented.

Foolish things are frowns and sneers,
For angry thoughts reveal them;
Rather drown them all in tears.
Than let another feel them.

Origin of the Term Blackguard.

Everybody is familiar with the epithet *blackguard*, though few, perhaps, know how it first came into use. Gifford, in his notes to the works of Ben Jonson, gives us some clue to the thing. In all great houses, but paticualarly in royal residences, there was a number of mean and dirty dependents, whose office it was to attend the wood-yard, sculleries, &c. Of these (for in the lowest depth there was a lower still)the most forlorn wretches seem to have been selected to carry coals to the kitchens, halls, &c. To this smutty regiment, who attended the progresses, and rode in the carts with the pots and kettles, which, with every other article of furniture, were then moved from palace to palace, the people in derision gave the name of *blackguards*, a term since become sufficiently familiar, and never before properly explained.

Ventilate your Rooms.

If the impure air of the Black Hole of Calcutta could, out of 146 Englishmen kill in six hours, no less than 96, leaving in the morning no more than 23 survivors in the whole (see GLEANER Vol. I No 23) the perniciousness of bad ventilation cannot be too much warned against. If you wish to preserve your health and the health of others ventilate your large rooms and never live in small ones. The following will be read with interest:

People have often said that no difference can be detected in the analyzation of pure and impure air. This is one of the vulgar errors difficult to dislodge from the ordinary brain. The fact is that the condensed air of a crowded room gives a deposit, which, if allowed to remain a few days, forms a solid, thick gluttonous mass, having a strong odor of animal matter. If examined by the microscope, it is seen to undergo a remarkable change. First of all, it is converted into a vegetable growth, and this is followed by the production of multitudes of animalcules—a decisive proof that it must contain certain organic matter, otherwise it could not nourish organic beings. A writer in Dickens' Household Words, in remarking upon this subject, says that his was the result arrived at by Dr. Angus Smith, in his beautiful experements on the air and water of towns, wherein he showed how the lungs and skin gave out organic matter, which is, in itself, a deadly poison, producing headache, sickness, disease or epidemic, according to its strength. Why, if a few drops of the liquid matter, obtained by the condensation of the air of a foul locality, introduced into the vein of a dog, can produce death by the usual phenomenon of typhus fever, what incalculable evils must not it produce on those human beings who breathe it again and again, rendered fouler and less capable of sustaning life with every breath drawn. Such contamination of the air, and consequent hot-bed of fever and epidemic, it is easily within the power of man to remove. Ventilation and cleanliness will do all, so far as the abolition of this evil goes; and ventilation and cleanliness are not miracles to be prayed for, but certain results of common obedience to the laws of God.—*Scieutific American.*

WHAT I WANT YOU TO AVOID. 1. loud laughter. 2. Reading when others are talking. 3. Cutting finger nails in company. 4. Leaving meeting before it is closed. 5. Whispering in meeting. 6. Gazing at strangers. 7. Leaving a stranger without a seat. 8. A want of reverence for superiors. 9. Reading aloud in company without being asked. 10. Receving a present without some manifesiations of gratitude. 11. Making yourself the topic of conversation. 12. Laughing at the mistakes of others. 13. Joking others in company. 14. Correcting older persons than yourself, especially parents. 15. To commence talking before others are through. 16. Answering questions when put to others. 17. Commencing to eat as soon as you get to the table. 18. In not listening to what one is saying, in company—unless you desire so show open contempt for the speaker. A well-bred person will not make an observation whilst another of the company is addressing himself to it.

A CURIOUS FACT.

If an acorn be suspended by a piece of thread—so says the *Gardener's Gazette*—within half an inch of the surface of some water contained in a hyacinth glass, and so permited to remain without being disturbed, it will, in a few months, burst and throw a root down into the water, and shoot upwards its straight and tapering stem, with beautiful little green leaves. A young oak tree, growing in this way on the mantel-shelf of a room, is a very elegant and interesting object. We have seen several oak trees, and also a chestnut tree, thus growing; but all of them, however, have died after a few months, probably owing to the water not being changed sufficently often to afford them the neccesary quantity of nourishment from the matter contained in it.

CALIFORNIA ANTS.—The Placerville Observer says: There is a species of savage little insects quite abundant in the pine woods of California, called the lion ant, the bite of which is almost as poisonous as that of the rattlesnake. These little monsters are of a dirty red color, about three-eights of an inch in length, are covered with a coat of tiny bristles, and resemble more the fly spider than the common ant. These insects are the mortal foes of the tarantula, and invariably come out winner in every engagement.—Their heads are inordinately large in proportion to their bodies. Their jaws are armed with formidable fangs, and they are altogether ugly little varmints. People who have business in the bushes had better look out for them.

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